

## **FISCAL NOTE**

### **SB 2980 - HB 3252**

January 26, 2008

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Directs the State Board of Education to develop guidelines for local education agencies for fostering foreign language fluency in grades 7-12. Current law requires two years of instruction in a foreign language.

### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

#### **Increase State Expenditures - Not Significant**

Assumption:

- According to the Comptroller and the State Board of Education, these new guidelines can be written in conjunction with other guidelines being developed by the Board. Any cost for rulemaking would be insignificant.

### **CERTIFICATION:**

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. White". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "James" written in a smaller, more compact script than the last name "White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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